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Case No. 5050/582

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Randall L. Schlesinger et al,

Serial No.: 09/401,632

Filed:

September 22, 1999

For:

MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC

ULTRASOUND CATHETER

WITH DIELECTRIC

ISOLATION

Examiner: E. Kline

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Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 26, 2000, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

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